BRILLIANT CLIMAX

The Assembly Ball Was as a Blaze of Glory

TO '97'S SOCIAL FUNCTIONS.

Wheeling's Smart Set Was Largely Represented, and a Large Number of Outof Town People Were Present-The Carroll Club Auditorium was the scene of a Fashionable Throng-omo Features of a Very Successiul Affair.

When the society functions of the year which gives up the ghost at 12 o'clock to-night, are recorded in Father Time's diary, the old fellow must smile with satisfaction as he jots down some of the particulars of the Assembly ball given at the Carroll Club last night, for in this event was a fitting climax to the many brilliant functions enjoyed by Wheeling's smart set during the year,

Within the walls of the handsome club house was gathered a representa-

within the walls of the handsome club house was gathered a representative gathering of the society people of this city, and the number present from a distance was large. It was a fash-jonably attired throng, and amid the accompaniments of music, lights and lowers presented a rare spectacle of beauty and animation. The ball was given by Messrs. Frice Whitaker and Frank Waterhouse, and was a full realization of the most ardent anticipations. There were no special decorations in the ball room, but the few floral displays judiciously arranged, sufficed. The Opera House orchestra, stationed amid a bower of palms and potted plants on the stage, discoursed in its susual artistic style, a dance programme of twenty of the customary dances. The ball opened at 9 o'clock, and supper was served at midnight by Caterer E. B. Carney. Throughout the evening ices and cooling drinks were dispensed, in addition to the terpsichorean pastime, the card room of the club was sought by many devotees of the pasteboard, and the balcony overlooking the ball room was frequented by many of the older set, and those wishing to enjoy tete-a-tetes. The Assembly ball will long be remembered as a brilliant success.

The patronesses were:

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Mesdames—
Joseph Speidel,
J. D. Culbertson,
Glbson Lamb,
Virginia Schafer,
Emily Fisher,
Frank J. Hearne,

Among those present from this city were the following: Blanche Moffatt, Elsie Whitaker, Ellia Speidel. Ella Rinehart, Ethel Balley, Hessie Rice, Lizzle Mendel, Sue Wright, Kate Hazlett, Ella Wright. Gertrude Fisher, Paull.

Edgerton Vance,
Hal Speidel.
Arch Moffatt,
Nile Ford,
Joe Naylor,
Charley Coole,
Wm. Schwellfer,
Lucius Hose,
Dr. Clyde Ford,
Joss Speidel, Jr.,
Jesse Speidel,
Lucius Hose,
D. E. Stainaker,
Harry Simpson,
Kilbourne List,
Ed Mendel,
Chas. Hancher,

Klibourne List, Ed Mendel, Chas, Hancher, Steve Rice, A. L. Schafer, Wm. Schafer, Wm. Brice,

were the following:
MissesMary Moffatt,
Hulda Delaplaine,
Fannie Wheat,
Gene Waterhouse,
Emilly Follock,
Holen Caldwell,
Sue Caldwell,
Laura Caldwell,
Martha Caldwell,
Martha Ott,
Grace Hoge,
Jilian Vance,
Mary
Messrs.—

Messrs—
W. Baum.
Bates Butler.
Meyer Norton.
William Vance.
Fari Giffen.
Latone McLain,
William Wilson,
Walter Hall.
Cark Hamitton,
Will Delaplaine,
Ed. B. Frankleim,
Clarence Giffen.
John Merriman,
Clark Hamett,
Ed. Schoon.

Td Schoen,
Howard Simpson,
Lawrence Wheat,
Julian G. Hearne,
Wheeler Norton,
Georas Rogers,
Charley Lamb,
Charley Paxton,
Roy Boyd,
Howard McDonald,
Ed Wiles,
Mr. and Mrs. Al. Wheat,
Wheat,

Howard McDonald, Earl Adams,
Ed Wiles,
Ed Wiles,
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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Slimpson.
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Dr. and Mrs. Clarke Hamilton, jr.
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Dr. and Mrs. Hestel.
Mr. and Mrs. Hestel.
Mr. and Mrs. Glass.
Mr. and Mrs. Hestel.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson.
Dirtofstown guests included;
Miss Florence Atkinson, Charleston.
Miss Blanche Haas, Danville, Va.
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Miss Grarthers. Taylorstown, Pa.
Miss Mrs. J. Hontown, Pa.
Miss Marshall, Pittsburgh.
Miss Helsey, Idlewood, Pa.
Miss George, Wellsburg.
Miss Graham. Bridgeport, O.
Miss George, Wellsburg.
Miss George, Dent, Bridgeport, O.
Miss George Dent, Bridgeport, O.
Miss George Dent, Bridgeport, O.
Miss Markee, Hagerstown, Md.
Miss Wickee, Hagerstown, Md.
Miss Wheeler, Hammondsport, N. Y.
Miss. Berger, Sistersville,

Messrs.— J. E. Berger, Sistersville, Percy Cummins, Bellaire Percy Cummus,
Preston, Pittsburgh,
Preston, Pittsburgh,
Helsey, Newark, O.
Armstrone, Pittsburgh
Jackson, Parkersburg,
Mr. and Mrs. Will Delaplaine, Grayswille, Ohlo.

At Least Not the Kind of Fire That Was Feared by Observers.

Shortly before midnight, some excitement was created in the business district, by the report that a fire had started on the fourth floor of the Vance Shoe Company's building on Main Shoe Company's building on Main street. A bright and flickering light could be seen in the rear of the building, and this caused the alarm which brought Will Schafer, of the company, to the scene from the Assembly dance. With Officer "Joe" McCausland and an Intelligencer reporter, he made an investigation. It was found that an employe had left a natural gas fire burning in a stove, and an increased pressure of gas made the light which caused many to believe that an incipient conflagration was on hand.

THE "ANTI-GROWLERS."

Likely to Have a Walk Over-No Opposition Ticket, as Yet.

It looks like the "Anti-Growlera" will have a walk over at the Elm Grove municipal election, next Thursday. Their ticket doesn't meet with very much flower doesn't meet with very much favor, but their opponents dislike running on what has been termed the "Growler" ticket. They are willing to make the race, but not upon a platform, which is accepted as favoring the now forbidden pastime of "rushing the can." Hence, the "Anti-Growler" ticket will probably be elected by acciamation.

THE QUESTION OF LIGHT.

Fulton's Lights Turned On Last Night. Affects the Election.

The new street lights were turned on in Fulton for the first time last night. They light the town up eplendidly. It is on these aforesaid lights that next Thurs day's municipal battle will be waged, part of the citizens led by ex-Mayor diamm, claiming the outlay for their purchase was needless extravagance. The present mayor, Henry Roth, who was an ardent believer in "letting there be light," will stand for re-election, and the contest between him and Mr. Hamm is exiting great interest in Fulton and vicinity.

BEWARE of imitations. Take no "just as good." See that you get the genuine Dr. Buil's Cough Syrup, the peerless specific.

AMUSEMENTS.

"Morathy's" Mishaps.

Barney Ferguson and Sam J. Ryan, who have legions of admirers among the theatre goers of the country, assisted by a powerful company of comedians, will be seen at the Grand for a half week, commencing Monday, in the ever popular "McCarthy's Mishaps," reconstructed and up to date in every detail. Of all the farce comedies that has been produced in later years, none have proven the success that "McCarthy's Mishaps" has, for it is like old wine, "it improves with age." The piece has a funny story, funny characters, funny situations, and funny ensemble. Everything is funny. It was written for yun and the author succeeded in his purpose. This funny piece is presented by a company of comedians who are really funny and so those who go to see the play for fun will find it of the hilarious sort. "MoCathy's" Mishaps.

"The Hooster Doctor."

No star that has ever appeared before the public has received more fulsome and universal praise, than the favorite comedian, Digby Bell, for his conception of the character of the "Hoosler Doctor" in Augustus Thomas' latest success the comedy of that title. He has frequently been compared to Joseph Jefferson and Nat C. Goodwin in his effectiveness and artistic work and has apparently adopted a line of work that warrants very great possibilities for him in the future. Mr. Bell's manager, Duncan B. Harrison, has surrounded him with a supporting company that is conceded to surpass the average road organization in every particular. Each is conceded to surpass the average road organization in every particular. Each member of it being specially engaged for their particular adaptability for the parts assigned them. The organization in its entirety numbers all told, twenty-three people, and is headed by the colstrated comedienne and contratto, Laura Joyce Bell, whose impersonation of the back-biting mother-in-law is said to be a masterpleee, Digby Bell in "The Hoosier Doctor," will appear at the Opera House next Thursday, January 6.

THE W. & J. GLEE CLUB.

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The Wash.-Jeff. Glee Ciub, consisting of thirty members, will give their annual concert in Wheeling next Wednesday night. This will be the leading event in society circles for the week. A theatre party of Wheeling's younger set will occupy the seats in the orchestracircle, and the large party of patronesses chosen from the musical ladies of Wheeling will be in evidence. Mrs. W. A. Wilson will receive for the college boys after the concert at her home in North Wheeling. Mr. Arch Wilson is a member of both the glee and instrumental clubs.

The following ladies have consented to act as patronesses:

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Lutter Follock.

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Mesdames:

Julius Pollock,
Charles Franzheim,
W. A. Wilson,
Alfred Paull,
Henry Ott,
J. B. Taney,
John B. Garden,
J. N. Vance,
James Cummins,
John T. Naylor,
John T. Naylor,
John T. Naylor,
John T. Cander,
John Waterhouse,
L. E. Sands,
W. H. Culdwell,
John Waterhouse,
Alfred Caidwell,
Alfred Caidwell,
J. C. McMasters,
John Frew,
John Frew,
John Frew,
John Freed,
J. J. Ceniff,
Geo. K. Wheat,

"A JAY IN NEW YORK"

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Jerome's Herald Square Comedians presented their laughing success, entitled "A Jay in New York," to a crowded house at the Grand last night. The entertainment is a combination of farce-comedy and vaudeville, to which has been added the novel feature, the climematographe, the greatest animated picture machine in the world. The comedy work of several members of the company was exceedingly clever, but the production was strongest in its musical features, from the fact that the voices were good, and the songs were nearly all new. Maud Nugent made a splendid impression, and the animated music introduced in the chorus of "Mamile Reilly" was very pleasing. Wm. Jerome's parcdies made a big hit. The audience was delighted. The engagement is for the remainder of the week, including the New Year's matinee, and crowded houses will no doubt be the rule. "A JAY IN NEW YORK."

Crent Court.

Before Judge Hervey yesterday morning, argaments were heard in the case of Adelaide Egerter vs. Morris Levaure, and the matter was submitted. The arguments were upon a rule against the sheriff of Ohlo county and collector of the city of Wheeling, to show cause why the funds in the hands of the constable who levied upon the Levaure store, should not be paid to plaintiff. The sheriff and collector had executed liens against the stock for taxes.

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In Part I., Judge Paull, arguments were presented upon the following overe presented upon the same asses, and they were submitted:
O. H. P. McCoy vs. J. D. Forney; McCoy & Bartleson vs. J. D. Forney; O. H. Coy & Bartleson vs. J. D. P. McCoy vs. J. D. Forney

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Last evening at the German M. E church, on the South Side, occurred the wedding of Rev. C. B. Koch, of Portsmouth, Ohio, and Miss Laura Allinger, daughter of Rev. L. Allinger, of the German M. E. church. 'The ceremony was performed by the bride's father in the presence of a large number of friends, some of whom were from other towns After the wedding, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 2319 Eoff street, and at midnight Mr. and Mrs. Koch left for Portsmouth, being remembered at the station with a plenti-ful sprinkling of rice. The ushers at the wedding were Measurs. Ed Schulz, Els-worth Helniein, Ed. Meizner and L. All-inger, it.

To-morrow morning, the Intelligencer will publish the names of ladies receiving New Year's calls. Those receiving and those not receiving are requested to leave names and addresses at the Intelligencer office before to-night at 9 o'clock.

LE PAGE-CLARK NUPTIALS.

At 9 o'clock Wednesday evening, a quiet wedding took place at the home of Rev. R. R. Bigger, paster of the Third Presbyterian church of this city. The Presbyterian church of this city. The contracting parties were J. S. Le Page, an attorney of Moundsville, and Miss Lillie D. Clark, of Cambridge, Ohlo. They left Thursday evening by the Baltimore & Ohlo to make short visits at their homes, with relatives and friends at Cambridge, where both are well known, after which Mr. and Mrs. Le Page will be at home in Moundsville. The groom has been for a number of years a prominent educator of Ohlo and for three or four years of lowa, where he studied law at Drake University, Des Moines, completing his studies there and passing the supreme court of that state last May. After his admission in Iowa he came home for rest, and soon was located for the practice of his profession at Moundsville. The bride is a charming young lady, the sister of Mrs. Bigger.

Miss Mary Miller charmingly enter-tained about twenty of her friends at her home on Twelfth street. Progressive dominoes was the leading feature, conundrums, music and recitations occupying intermissions.

Miss Blanche Etzler entertained last night at her home on North York and Indiana streets, Island.

An enjoyable dance was given at the Island club rooms last night. It was given by Messrs. Frank Kincheloe, Josh-ua Buckley and Harry Maguire.

MEISTER'S band will give a bell on New Year's eve. December 31, at Turner hall. Full orchestra will be in attend-

Author of Religious Works Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.-George E. King, author of numerous relievus works, is dead. He was born in New Ipswich, N. H., eighty-six years ago, and was at one time a patent lawyer and capitalist in New York. For years he practiced law in Rochester, N. Y., and afterwards was a large operator in and afterwards was a large operator in railroad stocks in New York, where he acquired a large fortune. He leaves besides his son, Cameron H. King, who is a prominent attorney, several grand-children and relatives in Boston, among whom is Miss Harriet M. King, his daughter, well known in Boston society. His funeral was conducted by his son Cameron, who delivered an address and read from his father's writings.

THE RIVER.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES. YESTERDAY'S DEPARTORES.
Pitisburgh. H. K. BEDFORD, 5:39 a. m.
Cincinnati...QUEEN CITY, 8 a. m.
Parkersburg ARGAND, 11 a. m.
Matamoras. LEXINGTON, 11 a. m.
Sistersville.. RUTH, 2:39 p. m.
Clarington...LEROY, 2:39 p. m.
Steubenville.T. M. BAYNE, 2:39 p. m.
BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Pitisburgh. VIGUINA 2 a. m.

Pittsburgh...VIRGINIA, 3 a. m. Parkersburg.BEN HUR, 11 a. m. Sistersville...RUTH, 3:50 p. m. Clarington...LEROY, 3:10 p. m. Steubenville..T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-MORROW.
Charleston. H. K. BEDFORD, 6:20 a. m. Parkersburg ARGAND, II a. m. Matamoras, LEXINGTON, II a. m. Sistersville. RUTH, 3:39 p. m. Clarineton. LEROY, 5:30 p. m. Steubenville. T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m.

Along the Landing

The Queen City departed at 8 a. m. or Cincinnati with a light trip. The Lorena is blocked in the Musk ingum by the frozen river. She loses a trip.

A feature of the New Year's Intelli-gencer to-morrow will be an article on "The River," by Captain Henderson.

The marks at 6 p. m. showed 6 feet 9 inches and stationary. A slight rise began last night. Weather, cloudy and

TO IMPROVE THE BIG SANDY. A resolution was passed by the Cincin nati chamber of commerce Wednesday, indorsing the proposition to improve, with a system of locks and dams, the Big Sandy river. This ettream is one of the important small tributaries of the Ohlo, and its improvement is of more than local importance, says the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune. The dam at Louisai so no of the finest pieces of engineering of its kind in the world. The lift is thirteen feet, the highest of any movable dam in the world. The Big Sandy people want more dams like the Louisa dam. indorsing the proposition to improve

River Telegrams.

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OIL CITY—River 2 feet 5 inches and failing. Cold and clear.

WARREN—River 1 foot 5 inches.
Weather cloudy and cold.
GREENSBORO—River 7 feet 10 inches and failing. Weather, fair and pleasant. Adam Jacobs and Nellie Hudson down Friday, James G. Blaine and Florence Belle up.
MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet 8 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy.
BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet and stationary.

stationary.
STEUBENVILLE—River 5 feet 11 inches and falling: Clear and cool, Passed up—H. K. Bedford, Down—Ben

Hur.
PARKERSBURG—Ohlo river 7 feet 8 inches and falling. Weather cloudy; threatening snow; mercury 31. Passed up: Virginia. Passed down: Valley Belle. Due down: Queen City and Argand. The Columbia, which has been running weekly between Parkersburg and Charleston, discontinued on account of dull business. The Little Kanawha is falling. The locals are all on time.

POINT PLEASANT-River 6.9 feet

POINT PLEASANT—River 6.9 feet and falling. Cloudy.
CINCINNATI—River 16.1 feet and falling. Clear.
CAIRO—River 18.8 feet and falling. Cloudy and warm. Departed—John K. Speed, New Orleans, 11 p. m.
LOUISVILLE—River falling; 7 feet 8 inches in caral; 5 feet 6 inches on falls; 15 feet 5 inches below locks. Cloudy.
EVANSVILLE—River 16.1 feet and falling Cloudy and cool.
MEMPHIS—River 12.1 feet, a vise of 0.5. Clear and cool.

THE RAILROADS.

The report of the Baltimore & Ohlo re-Hef department for July, 1897, shows re-ceipts, \$35,276 18; disbursements, \$27,-749 67. On the Transohlo divisions there was one accidental death, 85 accidental injuries and one death from natural causes. The total benefits paid were \$3,295 80. The name of Dr. L. J. C. Batley, Leisenring, Pa., has been added to the list of surgeons of the company. Af-ter November 20, 1897 the examination of aplicants for membership in relief de-partment on the Akron division have been conducted at Warwick, O., instead of Lodi. O.

THE AGREEMENT BROKEN.

The agreement of the eastern roads to maintain freight rates from Chicago to the Atlantic seaboard after the first of the Atlantic seaboard after the first of the year will be observed by few of the lines. There are contracts now in existence that call for the transportation of freight at rates lower than those that the roads have arreed to maintain, and so many of the roads are fearful that their competitors will not keen to the agreement that it is altogether likely that none of them will observe it. There have been instances lately where the western roads have made offers to the eastern roads to handle freight to be delivered in Chicago on condition that they will carry it at rates under those called for by the agreement of the Joint Traffic Association.

NEW MILEAGE OF 1897.

The figures compiled by the Railroad Gazette show that the new railroad built in the United States in the year 1897 amounted to about 1,938 miles. These figures are partly estimated, and are subject to small correction. The new railroad built in the year 1896 was 1,997 miles, and in the year 1896, 1,922. Cali-fornia built more miles of railroad than any other state in the Union in the year just closed, namely 199 miles, and the largest amount built by any one railroad was 269.5, by the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Guif.

THE PENNSY'S SHOWING. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. Pensylvania railroad statement of earnings and expenses for the month of November and eleven months of 1897, compared with the same periods of 1896, is as

Pennsylvania rafiroad: Lines directly operated, gross carnings month of No-vember, increase, \$573,500; expenses, in-crease, \$400,100; net earnings, increase, \$164,400.

\$154,400.
For eleven months, gross earnings, increase, \$1,701,600: expenses, decrease, \$601,100; net earnings, increase, \$2,302,000.
Lines west of Pittsburgh and Erie, directly operated, for month of November, gross carnings, increase, \$818,000; expenses, increase, \$324,000; net earnings, increase, \$594,500.

, 309,300.
even months, gross earnings, in-\$1,135,500; expenses, decrease, earnings, increase, \$1,702,000.

OPERA HOUSE

WEDNESDAY EVENING. JANUARY 5,

YE CIVIL SERVICE

Has Even Taken the Firemen in Its Grasp-Exam nation at Wheeling. The United States civil service com-

mission announces that, on February 5, 1898, an examination will be held at

Wheeling to fill a vacancy as fireman

in the Federal building, at a salary of \$720 per annum. The examination will

consist of a very light educational test.

consist of a very light educational test, together with practical questions, and, in addition thereto, applicants will be graded upon their age, experience and intelligence, character as a workman and physical ability. Persons desiring to enter this examination should apply to the secretary of the board of examiners, at the postoffice in Wheeling, for application blanks, forms 304 and 324, which should be properly executed and formarded to the commission at Washington. No applications will be accepted after the hour of closing business on Pebruary 1. Attention is invited to the fact that it is the practice of the department to appoint only persons who are legal residens of the town or immediate vicinity where the vacancy exists.

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Will Start Idle Furnaces.

HUNTINGDON, Pa., Dec. 30.-It is reported on the best authority that the

Berwynd Coal Mining Company has

Berwyng Coa! Mining Company has purchased the East Broad Top Railroad Company, which includes, besides its railroad connection with the Pennsylvania main line at Mount Union, this county, its coal mines, furnaces and timber lands. It is said that the new purchasers will change the East Broad Top road to a broad gauge, put the idle furnaces into operation and enter largely into the manufacture of coke,

Quarreled Over Whisky.

of Decliff, this county, quarreled last

of Decilif, this county, quarreicd last night over a bottle of whisky which Sorden accused Pachett of having stolen. Blows followed and Pachett struck Sorden on the head with a heavy stake, fracturing his skull, from the effects of which he died this morning. Byron Sorden, son of the murdered man, went to Pachett's home and beat him almost to death. The murderer was brought here by the sheriff, as a lynching was freely talked of.

Was Too Careless. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 30,-A spe-

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MARION, O., Dec. 30.-Two farmers named Wm. Sorden and Daniel Patchet,

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> weapon was struck against the casing and discharged, the load entering the back of the father's head as he sat be-hind his daughter and grand-daughter, Evil Effects of Ex-Rays Counteracted, ST. LOUIS, Dec. 30.-in a letter re-ceived by a physician of this city from George Apostoli, the noted French phy-George Apostoli, the noted French physician and surgeon. Apostoli says he has discovered the secret of preventing the evil effects which naturally ensue from the application of the X-ray. He says that he simply connects the machine with the ground by a metallic circuit. Under that system he has turned the X-ray upon hundreds of patient and not once has there been any delectious effects from the rays.

Durrants Sus a devor.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Isabelia Durrant and William Durrant, mother and father of Theodore Durrant, have brought suit for slander against ex-Juror Smyth, and demand \$50,000 damages from 14m. The com-plaint was sworn to by Mr. Durrant, Gen. John H. Dickinson and W. W. Foote are the attorneys representing the Durrants in the litigation. The suit grows out of remarks made by Smyth about Durrant, whom he accused of being a moral monster.

Killed His Stater-in-Law.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 30.—A Milwood, W. Va., special to the Times-Star says: News is received there that James M. McCoy, of Mud Run, near Rhies, killed his sister-in-law, Miss Shambin, by
a blow of his fist. He had forbidden
her to go to school, but she took her
books and started. He followed and
struck her a heavy blow on the neck,
killing her instantly. McCoy is deseribed as a man of violent temper. He
has not been arrested.

Will Go on Full Time.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 30.—Notice was posted at noon to-day in the Union Pacific shops notifying all hands that after Monday next the full time of eight hours per day would be restored. About two weeks ago the time was cut to seven hours per day. The order affects more than one thousand mechanics of all kinds.

What the Famine Cost.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 30.-It is officially announced that the recent famine cost the treasury £800,000, while loans to cial to the Times-Star from Crawfords, ville, Ind., says: This morning at Linden, Oren Stingley, a prominent citizen, accidentally shot and killed his aged father, John Stingley. Mr. Stingley had started to leave the house with a rifle and in passing through a door the

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LANDS SOLD FOR TAXES.

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List of real estate sold in the county of Ohio, in the month of December, 1897, for the nonpayment of the taxes charged thereon for years 1895 and 1896, and purchased by individuals:

Name of Person Charged With Taxes	Local Description of Lands.	Quantity of Land Charged.	Quantity of Land Sold.	Name of Purchaser,	Whole Amount
Javis, James Iamilton, Lotte, Menchan, Arminta P. mith, Bertha, ock, Chas ock, Chas ock, Chas stricker, Elizabeth Frunhaus, Henry ash, John A. limpson, Thos. Est catterday, Molle, Vilson, Loroy amicon, W. W. T. cabbold, Amanda tobertson, Salite M. aldwell, S. H. aldwell, A. H. Est cell, Naomi alther, John ape, Clara S. teulannan, Anna lankard, Wm. Ioore, Sarah J. are, Martha Grier, Nancy Vells, Liucha velle, Thos. velle, Thos. velle, Taney Velle, Liucha raster, Mary Velle, Liucha raster, Mary Velle, Liucha raster, Mary Velle, Liucha raster, Mary Lome Investment Co.	28x45 ft. of 102-103 Coal St. Lease City Commons. Lot 4 McLure Addition. 50x80 of Lot 12 Gillsepie. Lot 24 Henderson in. 8x85 ft. Fulton. 8x85	tip Let.	l'g Lot. 55xis ft. Lesase. 1. Lot. 20x85 ft. 1. Lot. 20x85 ft. 20x85 ft. 20x85 ft. 1. Lot. 2. Lots. 1. Lot. 2. Lots. 3. Lots. 2. Lots. 4. Lots. 4. Lots. 2. Lots. 2. Lots. 2. Lots. 3. Lots. 4. Lots. 4. Lots. 4. Lots. 4. Lots. 5. Lots. 2. Lots. 3. Lots. 3. Lots. 3. Lots. 3. Lots. 3. Lots. 3. Lots. 4. Lots.	W. J. W. Cowden, Orloff Zane, Rolf & Zane, R	7 100 7 100 15 25 2 8 74 9 40 9 40 9 40 10

The owner of any real estate above described and sold, his heirs or assigns, or any person having a right to charge such real estate for a debt, may redeem the same by paying to the purchaser, his heirs or assigns within one year from the sale thereof, the amount specified in the last column of the above table, and such additional taxes thereon as may have been paid by the purchaser, his heirs or assigns, with interest on said purchase money and taxes at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the time the same may have been so paid.

Given under my hand this '5th day of December, 1897.

H. C. RICHARDS, Sheriff, 1 een so paid. H. C. RICHARDS, Sheriff, ,